UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN SOUTHERN DIVISION

TIMOTHY KING, MARIAN SHERIDAN, JOHN HAGGARD, CHARLES RITCHARD, JAMES DAVID HOOPER, and DARREN RUBINGH,

Plaintiffs,

Hon. Linda Parker No. 2-20-cy-13134

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GRETCHEN WHITMER, in her official capacity as Governor of the State of Michigan, JOCELYN BENSON, in her official capacity as Michigan Secretary of State and the Michigan BOARD OF STATE CANVASSERS,

Defendants, CITY OF DETROIT, Intervening Defendant,

ROBERT DAVIS, Intervening Defendant,

DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE and MICHIGAN DEMOCRATIC PARTY, Intervening Defendant.

PLAINTIFFS' EX PARTE MOTION TO EXCEED PAGE LIMIT FOR PLAINTIFFS' OPPOSITION TO THE CITY OF DETROIT'S MOTION FOR SANCTIONS, FOR DISCIPLINARY ACTION, FOR DISBARMENT REFERRAL AND FOR REFERRAL TO STATE BAR DISCIPLINARY BODIES AND TO THE DEFENDANTS WHITMER AND BENSON'S CONCURRENCE IN CITY OF DETROIT'S MOTION FOR SANCTIONS

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Now come Plaintiffs, SOUTHERN DIVISIONTIMOTHY KING, MARIAN SHERIDAN, JOHN HAGGARD, CHARLES RITCHARD, JAMES DAVID HOOPER, and DARREN RUBINGH, by counsel, and request that this Court allow Plaintiffs to file a brief in response to the City of Detroit's Motion for Sanctions, for Disciplinary Action, for Disbarment Referral, and for Referral to State Bar Disciplinary Bodies and to the Defendants Whitmer and Benson's Concurrence in the City of Detroit's Motion for Sanctions that exceeds the 25-page limit established by L.R. 7.1(d)(3)(A) for good cause shown in light of the important nature of this elections case. In support thereof, Plaintiffs state:

- 1. Because the legal questions before this Court are numerous and distinct and require the discussion of multiple factors, along with an application of the law to the facts, Defendants require additional pages to adequately make these arguments.
- 2. Plaintiffs brief is approximately 60 pages in length.

WHERFORE, due to the important nature of this case and the legal questions presented, Plaintiffs' request to extend the page length to 60 pages is warranted and reasonable in this case.

Respectfully submitted,

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